

# Placerville Republican

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WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; scattered afternoon thunders.

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## Cougars Win Regional Title

### 2ND SOFTBALL SEASON OPENS WITH PARADE, GAMES TONIGHT

Procession Forms At 7 O'Clock At Ivy House, Marches To Raley's Market, Disbands And Proceeds To Park For 1st Game At 7:45 O'Clock

Old King Softball returns to his throne tonight, acclaimed by several hundred players and fans who will usher in the second season of the county softball league with a procession through Main Street and opening ceremonies at Marcus P. Bennett, Jr. Memorial Park.

Twenty-eight different units, according to league officials, will participate in a parade which will step off at the Ivy House at seven o'clock and march down Main Street through the business district as far as Raley's store. There, the march will disband and all will proceed to the ball park for the opening ceremonies which will get the first game under way.

The schedule for tonight's games sends the Placerville Cubs against the Diamond Springs Girls, in the women's division. Second game of the night will send the Pacific Service Employees against the Foresters, in the Fraternal Division, and in the unlimited division, Placerville Motor Parts will play the Camino Lumberjacks.

The league will play three games on each Monday, Wednesday and Friday night of each week.

The pre-game procession will, it is planned, line up as follows:

Motorcycle Escort, County and City Officials in cars, El Dorado County High School Band, Boy Scout Troop, Lions Club No. 86 with colors; Girls Division teams; Placerville Cubs, Diamond Springs, Camino, Legionettes; Boy Scout Troop. (Continued on Page 2)

### Murray Heads Sportsmen

Rod And Gun Directors May Meet Monday Night On Important Matters

A. H. Murray was elected president of the county Rod and Gun Club for the ensuing year, succeeding Leonard Zelwick, at a dinner meeting of the club held Friday evening at Hotel Barries.

Other officers elected are Archie McNe, vice-president; John Winkelman, secretary-treasurer; and C. S. Collins, Roland Gust, Dr. Lester B. Rantz and W. F. I. Bell, directors.

Mr. Murray indicated Monday morning that directors of the club may be called together on next Monday evening to take action on a number of important matters relating to the club's work.

Entertainment for the night was the showing of several reels of motion pictures by Mr. Foster and A. H. Hilbert, of Sacramento, on a big game hunting trip the two took last fall in British Columbia. Some of the pictures were in natural colors.

### HENRY W. NEFF TAKEN BY DEATH ON SUNDAY

The funeral services for Henry W. Neff will be held Wednesday at 11 o'clock in the morning from the Dillinger mortuary chapel. Interment will be in the cemetery at Fiddletown, Mr. Neff's native community.

Thirty-five years a resident of El Dorado County, Mr. Neff passed away on Cedar Ravine. He had been ill for several weeks.

Mr. Neff was born at Fiddletown on February 15, 1862, and was engaged in ranching in Amador County and also in El Dorado County throughout his active life.

He was well and favorably known by a large circle of lifelong friends who share with the family the sorrow of his passing.

Mr. Neff is survived by his wife, Mrs. Henrietta Neff, by two daughters, Mrs. Bessie Monsees, of Auburn, and Mrs. Wesley Fowler, of Escalon; two sons, Wallace, of Modesto; and Fred, of Auburn, and by ten grandchildren, in addition to other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Briggs and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Miller, of Polson, were weekend visitors at Fred's Place.

### Camouflage



This British soldier is not wearing one of his wife's new hats. He is a sergeant in the British army's signal corps, in action during recent defense maneuvers at Aldershot. His steel helmet is covered with burlap and sprigs of gorse in full flower as camouflage.

### WATER HEARING IS RECESSED

Georgetown Inquiry To Be Resumed June 12th By R. R. Commission

Further review of the North Side water situation in a state Railroad Commission hearing which opened last Thursday, was continued Friday after two days of taking testimony until June 12th.

During the two days the hearing was in session before Commissioner Carl Baker, the testimony of two witnesses was taken. Louis Enzler testified as secretary of the water users' association and as an individual and W. F. I. Bell, of Kelsey, testified.

Enzler testified as to interruptions in the service of the Georgetown Divide Water Company and losses to his pear crop which he attributed to unsatisfactory service. Mr. Bell complained he lost a hay crop this year because the company had no ditch-tender and the water to which he was entitled was, he said, taken from the ditch by other users upstream.

The water users' secretary was on the stand all day during the second day of the hearing.

### NANCY PHRAENER BRIDE OF J. T. HACKETT AT SACRAMENTO

St. Francis church, at Sacramento, was the scene of the marriage on Saturday afternoon of Miss Nancy Phraener, daughter of Mrs. Bochina Phraener and a granddaughter of Charles Schaeppi, of Fruit Ridge, to J. T. Hackett, of Sacramento.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hackett, is employed with Hale Brothers at Sacramento and the couple will make their home in Sacramento following their return from a week's wedding trip to the coast.

Mr. Schaeppi gave his granddaughter in marriage.

### Mrs. Mabel Ahart Off To London Meeting

Mrs. Mabel Ahart, of Lincoln, formerly chairman of the farm-home department of the state farm bureau and now national president of the Associated Women of the American Farm Bureau, left her home at Lincoln Monday on the first leg of a trip to London and a visit in Europe.

Mrs. Ahart is one of two hundred fifty women sailing for London to attend a convention of the Associated Country Women of the World. Following the convention, the party will visit Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Belgium and France, sailing for home about July 1st.

Mrs. Ahart was recently honored by her home community at a going away party in which the Farm Bureau, Native Daughters, Eastern Star and the Lincoln Women's Club participated.

R. P. Cornelison and daughter, Gloria, who with Mrs. Cornelison had been called here from Clear Lake Highlands by the passing of Mrs. Cornelison's father, returned on Sunday to their home. Mrs. Cornelison will remain here with her mother, Mrs. W. S. Kirk.

### RESCUE PICNIC VOTED SUCCESS

Accident To Horseman Slightly Mays Day; Large Crowd, Fine Program

The ninth annual community Mothers' Day picnic at Rescue, held on Sunday at the grove on the Litten-MacDonald ranch, passed into history as another in the growing series of successful community occasions in that district.

The program for the day was carried out as scheduled with the exception that Lieutenant Governor Ellis E. Patterson again failed to appear. The lieutenant governor had been scheduled on April 30th to speak at flag raising exercises near Placerville and was unable to keep the appointment, so that the Rescue picnic was the second appointment the lieutenant governor has made and canceled in the county in the past two weeks.

One serious mishap marred the day. This came in the program of horse races when Alvin Williamson was thrown off from his mount onto a barb wire fence, receiving cuts from the barbs and suffering a broken rib. Treated at Placerville Sanatorium, he was able to go to his home in the Springvale district later in the day and his injuries are not looked upon as serious.

Dr. L. J. Anderson, of Placerville, was master of ceremonies for the exercises, which opened with community singing of "America" followed by the national anthem.

### Rites Friday For W. S. Kirk

Masonic Lodge Conducts Service At Temple And At Union Cemetery

The funeral services for William Sherman Kirk, former Placerville newspaper publisher and business man, were conducted on Friday afternoon from the Masonic temple by El Dorado Lodge No. 26, F. & A. M. Mr. Kirk passed to the beyond on Tuesday of last week.

The rites were conducted by M. T. Kelly, a past master of the order, and an impressive eulogy was given by the Rev. Rex A. Barron, rector of the Church of Our Saviour. Robert Barker sang two numbers during the service. A profusion of beautiful floral pieces gave evidence of the community's esteem for its deceased friend and of its sympathy and affection for the surviving family.

Following the service the body was borne to its last rest in the Masonic plot at Union Cemetery with an escort of El Dorado Commandery No. 4, Knights Templar, accompanied by members of El Dorado Lodge No. 26, F. & A. M., and other friends who were in cars. The interment was under Masonic auspices.

Mr. Kirk was a past master of El Dorado Lodge No. 26, F. & A. M., and a member of various affiliated orders including the Knights Templar, Royal Arch Masons and Scottish Rite bodies at Sacramento.

Seventy years of age, a native of Germantown, Pennsylvania, resident in Placerville more than thirty years, he is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Cornelison; one sister, Mrs. Thomas Saddington, of Wilmington, Del., and one grand-daughter, Gloria Cornelison.

### Forest Officers Study Supply Parachuting

Forest Supervisor Edwin F. Smith, Associate Forester Arnold Weber, Rangers Bert Young and Milton Morris, F. F. Moran, administrative assistant and Anselmo Lewis, who is engaged in a fire control study on the forest, were at Sacramento Monday for the first of a two-day school of instruction in the dropping of supplies from airplanes.

Tuesday morning, we understand, the actual dropping of supplies will be demonstrated and the doings of the occasion will be broadcast by radio station KFBK at Sacramento, and KGO, San Francisco.

RAINFALL	
July	.06
August	.00
September	.37
October	2.55
November	1.30
December	1.69
January	5.91
February	4.18
March	4.97
April	.35
May 10	.10
May 13	.05
Total	21.63
The normal to May 1 is 38.21 inches.	

### ROOSEVELT TO SEE S. F. FAIR

White House Reveals Plans For Coast Trip About Middle Of June

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Roosevelt expects to leave Washington about the middle of June to visit the San Francisco fair the White House said today.

Tentative plans call for the president to go first to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park in North Carolina. After presiding at dedication exercises there, he would motor to Nashville, Tenn., and board a special train for the coast.

It was indicated that the June trip was looked on with favor because of general feeling that congress will be here until mid-summer. The itinerary will be so arranged to permit the president to be in Washington for the closing days of the session.

It was emphasized that Mr. Roosevelt has no plans beyond San Francisco. This was the White House reply to queries as to whether he would cruise aboard a warship from a west coast port.

On his swing across the country the White House said that no speaking dates had been arranged for him.

Mr. Roosevelt will go to Hyde Park, N. Y., the end of this month to spend Memorial day. He will return after a few days, greet the king and queen of Great Britain on their arrival here June 8, and return to Hyde Park June 9 to play host to them there.

### NATIVE SONS OPEN 62ND GRAND PARLOR AT SAN FRANCISCO

The 62nd annual Grand Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, convened Monday at San Francisco. Among those from the Placerville vicinity who are in attendance are Henry S. Lyon, grand second vice-president of the order, and Ellsworth Willard, Leo Finch and Louis Moccetini, representing Placerville Parlor No. 9.

### World's Small Place, Travelers Find

Farm Advisor and Mrs. Ivan Lilley probably didn't expect to find anyone in Salt Lake City who knew them when they landed there by plane last Friday afternoon.

However, Mrs. Ann Beal and Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Waldron were in Salt Lake City too, after having visited in the southern part of California, at Boulder Dam, and in Southern Utah on a week's vacation jaunt.

Mrs. Waldron had known in advance that the Lilleys were going to be in Salt Lake that day and found it no problem at all to look them up. And were they surprised?

Mrs. Beal and Mr. and Mrs. Waldron drove home over the weekend, the Lilley's continuing by plane Saturday morning to Detroit.

### 4-H CLUB COUNCIL WILL ELECT OFFICERS ON WEDNESDAY

The county 4-H Club Council will hold its regular meeting of the month on Wednesday night at the Farm Advisor's office. The principal matter of business will concern the election of officers for the ensuing year, according to V. R. Veerkamp, who is now completing his second term as chairman of the council.

### CROWNED BASEBALL CHAMPS OF CENTRAL CALIFORNIA

Touted Sacramento Dragons Humbled 2 To 0 In Fast Game Saturday Afternoon; Modesto Forfeits Final Play-off Game

El Dorado County High School's Cougars won the baseball championship of Central California high schools Saturday afternoon at Marcus P. Bennett, Jr. Memorial Park when they defeated the Sacramento high school 2 to 0.

A forfeit by Modesto to the Cougars made them supreme in high school baseball in the Mother Lode from Sonora to Grass Valley and in the valley as far west as Fairfield, south to Modesto and north to Lincoln.

The victory was not without some outside assistance in the form of a "scouting trip" taken on Tuesday of last week by "Shorty" Des Jardins, one of the most faithful of the Cougar supporters, who hitch-hiked to Sacramento to watch the Dragons win against Clarksburg.

"Shorty" hitch-hiked home again after the game and reported his findings to Coach L. A. Brown. He found, he said, that the heavy hitters of the Dragons all hit to left field, and what should have been outfield flies went for hits when the Clarksburg outfield failed to shift for the left field hitters.

Well, fore warned is fore armed, and whether "Shorty" had the right dope or not, the Cougars were instructed to shift for the left field hitters and it is worth noting that Gibbs, in the Cougar left field, got (Continued on page 3)

### Fog, Icebergs Delay Arrival Of King, Queen

QUEBEC (UP)—King George and Queen Elizabeth delayed by fog and ice got their first glimpse of the new world today.

The liner Empress of Australia, carrying the British monarch, on their first voyage to America came in sight of the southern tip of Newfoundland at 9:30 a. m. est. Shortly thereafter, according to radio messages from the vessel, the ship passed within 18 miles of St. Pierre and Miquelon Islands, whose snow covered hills glistened in the sunlight.

Delayed two days, first by fog and then by icebergs which floated dangerously close, the liner finally found perfect sailing weather as it made the first landfall of the voyage.

To members of the royal party, enjoying the cool morning breeze on the promenade deck, the islands to the north appeared much closer than they actually were, because of the magnifying effect of the vaporless atmosphere.

The ship had emerged from the ice fields which had delayed it and, in an effort to make up for lost time, sped all night and morning at 19 knots.

From Cape Race, Newfoundland the Empress will still be more than 800 miles from its berth here in the St. Lawrence River. The master radioed he hoped to arrive by midnight tomorrow.

### Albert Cooper Cut In Auto Wreck

Albert Cooper was treated at Placerville Sanatorium for assorted cuts Sunday afternoon after his car was wrecked on Coloma Street about 150 yards beyond Bee Street.

Cooper told City Officer Marvin Killian that a tire on the car blew out, pitching the machine into the ditch. Following emergency treatment, Cooper was able to go home.

### John F. Van Dyck Gets Reno Wedding License

A license to wed was issued at Reno over the weekend to John F. Van Dyck, 28, who gave his address as Camino, and La Verne E. Meyers, 22, of Sacramento.

### Past Matrons, Patrons Meet At Georgetown

The regular meeting of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association in El Dorado County will be held tonight at Georgetown. Following a short business meeting the evening will be devoted to social doings.

### AROUND OUR TOWN

Barbara Smith and Dorothy Cosens returned Sunday from their year of work at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bilodeaux were weekend visitors at Treasure Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Madigan and son George, were up from Sacramento Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chappell and son, Richard, of Mina, Nevada, were here over the weekend visiting Mr. Chappell's sister, Mrs. J. L. Wilkinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Salvater were here from Auburn Sunday visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Edith Miller.

### Tax Program Studied

Legislative Leaders Meet With President On "Appeasement"

WASHINGTON (UP)—Legislative leaders took a "business appeasement" tax program to the White House today for a showdown with President Roosevelt.

The prospect was for a general announcement of compromise and harmony after today's conference to be followed by a tax battle royal when the issue finally comes up for congressional debate.

Senate Republicans and conservative Democrats are determined upon tax reform but are aware they probably would not be able to overcome a veto.

In the background was the \$212,000,000 of unbudgeted farm subsidies voted last year and \$338,000,000 approved by the senate this year and now awaiting house action. Mr. Roosevelt was promised new revenue to cover last year's appropriation but never got it.

The administration is confronted now with the alternative of defeating the \$338,000,000 grant in the house this month or of going to congress with another hopeless plea for compensation.

### Utilities Engineer Examination Set

SACRAMENTO—Opportunity to conduct engineering studies and advise on problems of availability, production, and distribution of electric power in connection with the development of the Central Valley Project is offered in the position of Supervising Electric Utilities Engineer, Central Valley Project. An examination for this position will be given on June 15, Louis Kroeger, Executive Officer of the State Personnel board, announced.

Applicants for the position, which pays \$420 a month, must have had education equivalent to that represented by graduation from college with major work in electrical engineering and five years of engineering experience in electric power utility management, valuation, or rate-fixing. Bulletins for the test and application forms can be obtained from the Los Angeles, San Francisco or Sacramento offices of the State Personnel Board. Applications should be filed by June 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Dellis went to San Francisco Sunday, expecting to return on Wednesday following a visit at Treasure Island.



## THE Book Mark

By JANE VOILES

"Comes green and lusty May" and let us forget about best sellers and

"must books" and keeping up with the latest writers. Let us turn to some of the out-of-the-door books that have been a joy and a solace to readers for many spring times. Some of them you may find on the shelves of old libraries, some in the local or state library. Most of them are ownable books, however, and can be purchased in inexpensive editions. What the old sulphur and

molasses was reputed to do and whatever the modern equivalent does for the physical body, these books do for the spirit.

We would head the list with the books of W. H. Hudson, who used to say that when he was out of sight of living, growing grass and out of sound of birds' voices and all rural sounds, he was not properly alive. "Green Mansions" the story of the bird-girl Rima, is Hudson's most popular book. It has been said that "Green Mansions" immortalises as passionate a love of all beautiful things as ever was in the heart of man. In rare editions or in the very expensive ones, this book is a collector's item. Fortunately for most of us, it is available in the 95c Modern Library edition, Hudson's autobiography "Far Away and Long Ago," is the story of his early life lived on the pampas of the Argentine and is as charming a piece of writing as you would want for a spring day. In the volume of his called "Idle Days in Patagonia" there are several sketches which are Hudson at his very best. They are "Snow and Its Quality of Whiteness," "Sight in Savages" and "Perfume of an Evening Primrose." You can see how felicitous, as the high-brow reviewers say, Hudson was in the choice of his titles. He is equally felicitous, if you like the word, or apt, in conveying a spring mood.

We would include "The Heart of Burrough's Journals" which is the record of a long, many-colored out-of-the-door life that is eminently readable. Also Burrough's "Wake-Robin" the best summer book he had yet seen.

If you hear the call of the ocean and can't head it, add a Joseph Conrad to the list, preferably his "Mirror of the Sea" which is his most typical book about the sea. H. M. Tomlinson's "The Sea and the Jungle," is a long-remembered book for those who have read it. In it, Tomlinson tells about his journey from Wales to 2000 miles up the Amazon river into the very heart of the South American jungle.

Of David Grayson's books, we recommend "The Countryman's Year" for spring reading even if it does follow through the four seasons. We have found no end of consolation in some lines of Grayson's when our friends begin to talk about their plans for trips to Mexico, Alaska, Hawaii and wherever else. There may be a measure of sour grapes in the consolation, we are forced to admit, but the words have helped.

"It is not the multiplication of our feelings that increase our lives but the penetration of them." Which makes us feel we can go out into the back garden and learn something. Incidentally, we haven't gotten around to them yet, but for those who may be interested there are those marvelous books by the Frenchman Henri Fabre about insects. Fabre spent the whole of his life (89 years) in the minute observation of the habits and manners of insects. Maeterlinck said of him that he was "one of the loftiest and purest glories that the world possesses, one of the ablest naturalists and the most wonderful poet." Taking that with a grain of salt, certainly enough praise remains to make Fabre worth looking into. His book "Social Life in the Insect World" is said to be one of the most fascinating books on insects ever written. Others of his books that might increase our penetration are "The Life of the Spider," "The Life of the Grasshopper" and "The Mason-Bee."

To read John Muir's "Steep Trails" is next best to climbing them (and better for those of us who are bone-lazy). It is the kind of book that makes you feel you

## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

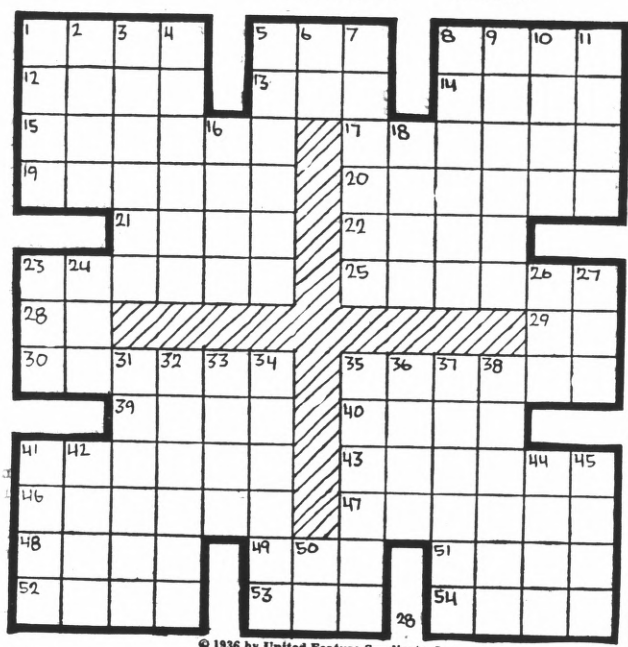
ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

ACROSS

- 1—Girl
- 2—Dandies
- 3—Way out
- 4—Sea (Dutch)
- 5—District
- 6—Nearly
- 7—Pertaining to Spring
- 8—Wandering
- 9—On grand scale
- 10—Disturbance
- 11—Rustic measures of length
- 12—Drainpipes
- 13—King of Babylon
- 14—Exclamation
- 15—Made of sheep's fleece
- 16—Milk food
- 17—Annoy
- 18—Fertile soil
- 19—Slip by
- 20—Knocks over
- 21—Customary
- 22—Part of meter
- 23—Thorough
- 24—Printer's units
- 25—Look amorous
- 26—Observed

DOWN

- 1—Shakespearean king
- 2—Bar on wheels
- 3—Silly smile
- 4—Bends down
- 5—Mexican Indian
- 6—French article
- 7—Crowbars
- 8—Olive birth to
- 9—Over-decorated
- 10—Mason's hammer
- 11—Sodium chloride
- 12—Short play
- 13—Large lake
- 14—Swear
- 15—Self
- 16—Abyssinian title
- 17—Novel by H. Rider Haggard
- 18—Fruit
- 19—Late English
- 20—Fachman
- 21—Otherwise
- 22—Required
- 23—Loutish
- 24—Ample
- 25—City in Pennsylvania
- 26—Come out
- 27—Sheep
- 28—Knowledge
- 29—Web-like membrane
- 30—Let it stand
- 31—Parent



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## HOW IT BEGAN By Paul F. Berdanier



### LEGISLATIVE DIETS

MEDIEVAL EUROPEAN ASSEMBLIES OF DELEGATES MET FROM DAY TO DAY TO CONDUCT LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS, SO THEY WERE NAMED "DIETS," FROM LATIN "DIES" (DAY). THE NAME STILL APPLIES IN SOME EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

**BUSINESS WOMEN**  
BUSINESS WOMEN ARE NOT A PRODUCT OF MODERN TIMES. WOMEN KEPT SHOP, CARRIED ON COMMERCE AND EVEN BECAME SCRIBES—A JEALOUSLY GUARDED MALE VOCATION—in BABYLONIA AS EARLY AS 2100 B.C.



THE FIRST YEARS ARE ALWAYS THE HARDEST!



A SCENE FROM "Midnight," starring John Barrymore, Claudette Colbert and Don Ameche, which closes a two-day engagement at the Empire tonight.

### BORN WITH SIGN

TEKAMAH, Neb., (UP)—Charlie Buell, hatchery owner here can tell some wild-eyed yarns about his hybrid chicks. One of his Austria white hybrids was hatched out with a black "W" on its back. Some folks believe it's an ill-omen that may bring war in the near future.

are sharing in a joyous holiday and it is a book that will stand re-reading.

Among the recent books, there is Donald Culross Peattie's "Green Laurels," the lives and achievements of the great naturalists told with all the charm of a man who has read richly and widely and written with the interest of a detective story. If you haven't read Constance Bourke's "Audubon," we suggest that you buy, beg or borrow it and if you have read it, why read it again. Constance Bourke is one of those rare writers who has so much to give that one can scarcely receive it all in the first reading. May we quote one of our favorite sentences in the book, "the life of birds had spelled freedom, the freedom which birds had always meant to the earth."

### STAR-STUDED CAST IN "MIDNIGHT" ON SCREEN AT EMPIRE

One of the most star-studded casts of recent years, a witty story tailored to fit Claudette Colbert's unique personality and the clever direction of Mitchell Leison, combine to make an outstanding piece of screen comedy out of "Midnight" the Colbert-Don Ameche starrer, which came last night to the Empire Theatre. The picture closes tonight.

A list of the stars in "Midnight" reads like several pages torn from a who's who of Hollywood! In addition to Miss Colbert and Ameche, now starred together for the first time, the picture presents John Barrymore, Francis Lederer, Mary Astor, Hedda Hopper and Rex O'Malley. There is also Elaine Barrie, the vivacious New York schoolgirl.

### MILD WINTER PROVED

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., (UP)—It's been an open winter in North Berkshire County. Charles Phillips, proprietor of the general store, says his sales slips show: lawn mowers, two; snow shovels, none.

## 15,000 CAN'T BE WRONG!

More than 15,000 New CHAMPIONS have been delivered, since the opening announcement, by Studebaker dealers throughout the world

## Studebaker CHAMPION

See one of these Salesmen for a Demonstration!

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## C. S. COLLINS

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NEW MACHINE for cleaning Radiator without cost of removing from the car . . .

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Thoroughly cleaning and removing rust, grease, and anti-freeze residue . . .

Drive in for an estimate

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## FACTOGRAPHS

The custom of ringing or tolling a bell when a prominent person dies is older than Biblical times.

It takes 24 men to ring a bell in Chionin temple, Japan. Its weight is approximately 74 tons.

A new section of Mammoth Cave, in Kentucky, has been explored and it is spectacular, according to United States park experts.

One hundred thousand acres of land are sought for the first United States seashore national park. It is being created on the Outer Banks of North Carolina.

Manila, the largest city and capital of the Philippines, is the home of 400,000 people.

George H. Butler, of Placerville, according to a Sacramento paper, figured in an auto collision May 11 at Front and Second Streets, Sacramento. The other car was driven by George Fraskos, of Sacramento. No one was injured.

## Softball Loop Starts Play

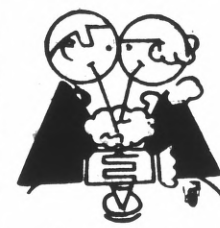
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Diamond Springs, No. 95 with colors; Unlimited Division, Diamond Springs, Rount Tent, Camino, Placerville Motor Parts, Mother Loders, Snowline, Mac's Jumbo, Placerville News; Boy Scout Troop, American Legion No. 67 with colors;

Placerville Grammar School Band, Boy Scout Troop, Camino No. 87, with colors; Fraternal Division, Camino 49ers, SRA, Smith Flat, Foresters of America, U. S. Forest Service, Pacific Ser. Emp. Ass'n; Boy Scout Troop, Placerville No. 57 with colors.

### VETERAN ALONE

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., (UP)—Gum Fong, a Chinese World War veteran, has the distinction of being the only man of that nationality now living in Nebraska who served with the allies. He was a member of the 342nd machine gun outfit in the 89th division in France.



## Try Our . . . JUMBO Milk Shakes

NEW FOUNTAIN EQUIPMENT enables us to serve you quickly and efficiently

Try your favorite drink or a Tasty Luncheon at

## Mac's JUMBO Fountain

Opposite Bell Tower

Placerville

## NEW MERCHANDISE

At prices to suit the pocket book!

Here are a few items and prices, which are indicative of the high things for spring and summer. Slacks, shirts, hats, ties, suits! Also work clothes of all kinds, including boots and shoes! Here are a few items and prices, which are indicative of the high quality and reasonable prices!

### MEN'S SPORTWEAR

Color and flash are all the "Go" this season. Get into one of our flashy sport outfits and you'll be right in style!

### POLO SHIRTS — SPORT SHIRTS

Full assortment of men's FISHTAIL SPORTWEAR, featuring "5 Brothers." PLEETWAY SHIRTS & PANTS. Shirts \$1.10 — Pants \$1.30 — ENSEMBLE — \$3.10

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15c a pair or 2 for 25c 20c a pair or 2 for 35c

### MEN'S WORK PANTS

Jeans \$1.15 — \$1.29

### TIES

Full assortment of Hand-tailored ties each, 49c and 98c

### WORK CLOTHES

Men's tough whip cord pants, \$1.30 — Also Bib & Waist Overalls. Full line of original CHIPPAWA SHOES for men.

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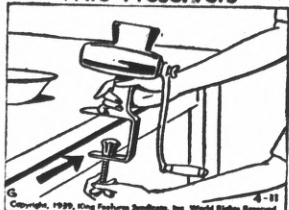
May 11, 1939  
 Reconveyance, Frank R. Horgson, trustee, to George H. Dearing and Elizabeth M. Dearing, his wife.  
 Reconveyance, Placer County Title Co., as trustee to parties entitled.  
 Trust deed, Auburn Chemical Lime Co., Ltd., to Placer County Title Co., a corporation, trustees for Placer County Bank, a corporation as beneficiary.  
 Deed, William Baumhoff and Ruth E. Baumhoff, husband and wife to G. W. Boswell and Ellen G. Boswell, husband and wife, as joint tenants.  
 Location notice, "Hill Top" by B. W. Crane.  
 Articles of agreement, Rudolph S. Egert and Sara Egert, his wife, first parties and Emil E. Egert and Hilda Egert, his wife, second parties.  
 Reconveyance, Inter-County Title Co., trustees to parties entitled, as to trust deed executed by Kenneth Clark and Edna Clark, his wife.  
 May 12, 1939  
 Deed, Edwin Anderson, unmarried person, acting by and through her attorney in fact, Esther A. Pe-tach, Philip Pratt and Elma D. Cas-selman to Olin W. Harris and Lily G. Harris, his wife, as joint tenants.  
 Notice of Non-liability, By P. D. Burt, James O'Brien and B. O.

## "Test Tube" Mother



Jean Gordon, 28, of Chicago, is reported awaiting a blessed event after having submitted to scientific treatment for a "test tube" baby. She is a divorcee and childless.

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 May 15 and June 1, 1939.

## Cougars Beat Dragons, 2-0

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five putouts in the game, which might have had a different result had those bingles gone over his head for extra-base clouts.  
 Another sidelight of the game is that the Cougars registered nine hits, and bunched four of them to produce a victory in the sixth inning, against Mojica, who hurled for the Sacramento American Legion Juniors last season when they played at Gastonia, N. C. and lost for the national Junior American Legion championship.

The Dragons didn't get far with Bill Schroth and his errorless support. Only four of them reached first base and out of the four, only one reached second. They got four hits during the game, one each in the second, fifth, sixth and seventh.

There were two out in the second inning when Del Carlo hooked onto one of Mojica's offerings for three bases. The Cougar strategy was to wave Del Carlo home and he tried it but was caught at the plate.

In the sixth, when the ball game was won, Barrett opened with a fly out and Beach followed with a three-bagger. Marchini caromed one between the pitcher and first baseman and Beach was home and Marchini safe at first. Gibbs singled and Marchini made third to be caught at home on J. Schroth's infield hit.

Del Carlo singled to score Gibbs and an error put Bill Schroth on base and left the bags full when Boggs went out, shortstop to first base. Two runs, four hits and one error.

The score:

El Dorado High		Sacramento High	
	ab r h po a e		ab r h po a e
Boggs c	3 0 0 7 1 0	Guidera cf	3 0 0 2 1 0
Edelman 2b	4 0 2 2 4 0	O'Keefe 2b	3 0 0 0 2 0
Barrett cf	4 0 1 1 0 0	Laviano ss	4 0 1 1 4 1
Beach 3b	3 1 1 2 1 0	Palermo c	4 0 0 7 0 0
Marchini rf	4 0 1 1 0 0	Goodman rf	3 0 0 2 0 0
Gibbs lf	4 1 2 5 0 0	Edwards lf	3 0 2 0 0 0
J. Schroth 1b	4 0 0 5 1 0	Santich 3b	3 0 0 1 2 0
Del Carlo ss	3 0 1 1 0 0	Bryant 1b	1 0 0 0 0 0
B. Schroth p	3 0 0 2 0 0	Mojica p	3 0 1 0 3 0
	32 2 9 27 7 0	Paladini p	0 0 0 0 0 0
		Legatos cf	0 0 0 1 0 0
		Solas rf	1 0 0 0 0 0
		Massey	1 0 0 0 0 0
			29 0 4 24 12 1

Score by innings:  
 El Dorado High 000 002 00x 2  
 Sacramento High 000 000 000 0  
 Summary: Runs in Marchini 1, Del Carlo 1; two base hits Gibbs; three base hits Del Carlo. Beach; sacrifice hits Boggs; stolen bases Marchini, Gibbs; innings pitched by Mojica 7, Paladini 1, charge defeat to Mojica; struck out by Schroth 5, Mojica 3, Ualadini 2; hit by pitcher Beach by Mojica; wild pitch Schroth 1; bases on balls off Schroth 2; Mojica 2; first base on errors B. Schroth; passed balls Palermo 2; Beach to Edelman to J. Schroth; left on base El Dorado 10, Sacramento 4; umpires Hern plate, Swe-sey bases; time of game 2 hrs., 45 min. Scorer Thomsen.

REGINA, Sask., (P)—In the old days, the livery stable was a busy place in any western Canadian town. No more. Regina's municipal court of revision on assessments this year allowed a 40 per cent reduction in the assessed value of the only livery stable left in the city. The owner said he did not know what to do with the stable because it was drawing no revenue.

## Local Happenings

Jimmy Wallington, of radio popularity, his mother and an unidentified woman companion spent Sunday night in Placerville enroute to Los Angeles, where Jimmy has a Wednesday night radio appointment.

Mrs. Anna Canning, of Marysville, who was among the old friends who came to Placerville Friday to attend funeral services for W. S. Kirk, is remaining for a visit with Mrs. Kirk.

Among those who came from a distance to attend funeral service for W. S. Kirk, held Friday, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Paine, of Berkeley; Royal Miller, of Sacramento; Mrs. Sidney Epperson and Mrs. Bertha Hall, of Woodland; Mrs. Otto Naeher, of San Francisco; William A. Green and Percy West, of Sacramento; Mrs. Charles Rayburn and Mrs. Mollie Finley, of San Jose and Mrs. Ida Thomas, of Sacramento.

Albino Piazza, charged with driving without a license, an indictable misdemeanor, pleaded guilty at an arraignment before Judge George H. Thompson Monday morning and was fined \$100 which he paid. Piazza was represented by Attorney C. W. Pearson.

Mrs. Ruth Willis returned to duties in the district attorney's office Monday morning. Her return there is during the temporary absence of Mrs. Patricia Darlington, whose daughter (Miss Florence McCann), was operated upon Monday morning for appendicitis at Placerville Sanatorium.

Mrs. Noreen Peterson, of Lotus, was among those in town Monday morning, and called at the Farm Advisor's office.

James Kelly was among those in the county seat Monday from Kelsey.

The siren sounded Friday night about midnight is reported to have been the horn on the city police car, brought into play in connection with overtaking Walter Raught, of Eaglerock Resort, who was cited for reckless driving, a report to Chief of Police James Morton indicates.

A suit was on file Monday in Superior Court in behalf of F. H. Brown and others doing business as Brown and Sons, against E. E. Tuman, seeking to terminate an agreement for the sale of a sawmill at Pollock Pines, entered into on December 20, 1937. The complaint, prepared by Attorney T. S. Marlor, charges the defendant has failed to carry out the obligations of the agreement.

Everett Haslam, secretary of the Agricultural Conservation Association, was in Tuolumne County Monday on association business.

Louis Wunschel, of Rescue, who returned about ten days ago from a year of mining work in the Philippines, left on Monday for Pierce, Arizona, on an assignment with A. E. Vanderook, who is interested in a mine property there.

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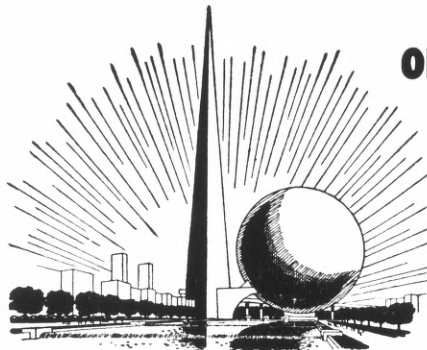


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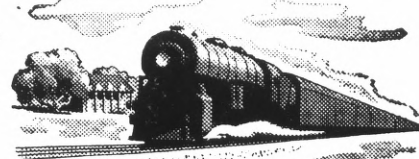


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## Push The Postoffice

The improvement of the service and the facilities of the Postoffice Department in Placerville was a major objective in the work of our late postmaster, Joseph Scherrer.

Attentive to the needs of the community, Mr. Scherrer was ever on the alert for an opportunity to provide better service. In this connection, for a period of months, he devoted a considerable amount of time and great effort to seeking some way by which sidewalks in the community might be extended so that it would be possible to provide a carrier delivery service to areas not served. Circumstances made success in this undertaking not immediately possible.

Mr. Scherrer through many years had co-operated with those who saw the need for a new postoffice building in Placerville and it was a great satisfaction to him to know that the government had undertaken steps to acquire a site for a new building.

That is about as far as the project has advanced at this time. The government has undertaken steps to acquire a site. No money has been paid although word came two weeks ago that all papers were in due form and approved by the Attorney General.

We owe it to Mr. Scherrer as a community to carry on this work and to press for action in this project. Some civic expression is required to spur those in charge into action. Let us push for our new postoffice building.

## Call The Police!

Placerville housewives will find that the police department is especially anxious to round up men who may be soliciting alms in the community and the officers are glad to have any such instances called to their attention.

The police keep the "moochers" pretty well controlled in the down-town section, but occasionally one wanders into the residential area and unless housewives report him, the officers do not know of the circumstance.

Not many people will resent a man's inquiry for odd jobs and sometimes one who seems to be legitimately in hard luck and really trying to do the right thing may be given assistance, gladly.

But housewives of the community are not compelled to take any back-talk from a boozier. Call the police!

## Taxes! Taxes! Taxes

It seems a curious thing that we are generally agreed upon a stimulus to business to relieve unemployment as being one of the major steps to be achieved to bring back prosperity, and yet our administrative heads continue to recommend and our legislative groups continue seriously to consider the imposing of further penalties in the form of taxes upon business.

We want business to run, yet we continue to saddle industry and business with levies which decrease the margin of return on investment and thus make it more difficult for business to run.

It would seem after these many years of experimentation with artificial and apparently unsound economic factors, that a return to the proven principles would be in order. In the past, when freed of penalizing regulations and confiscatory taxes, business has produced and it would seem that given the same opportunity, business can and will produce again.

A case in point is presented in two bills now before the Legislature, proposing greatly increased fees and taxes upon the beer, wine and spirits industries when the various levies against the industry all ready in effect are returning revenues to California comparable to those returned in other states.

Government will have to learn again as many of its citizens will have to learn again, too, that you can't satisfy a champaign appetite on a beer income.

Taxes are high enough that the next move should be a reduction, and if revenues to operate the government are lacking, we shall have to find a way to operate the government less extravagantly.

## Rescue Picnic Voted Success

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lowed by selections by the Rescue 4-H Club orchestra. Dr. Anderson then presented from the platform Mrs. Julia MacDonald, who was responsible for establishing the Mothers' Day picnic as an annual event.

The Mothers' Day address was by Mrs. Mary Hand, of Placerville, whose capable manner is well known to many friends. Miss Dorothy Oates, a member of the Rescue 4-H Club, who was a member of the recent Youth Model Legislature, spoke on 4-H Club work as did Louis Wunschel, one of the former members of the Rescue club.

Prof. Lewis Gearhart, of Fair Oaks, gave a vocal solo following which State Senator A. L. Pierovich spoke, and then Prof. Gearhart led the Folsom Glee Club in a group of numbers.

George Sehlmeier, master of the state Grange, spoke in regard to some of the problems of agriculture and L. W. Loomis discussed mining in El Dorado County. He was followed by Charles Gilmore, Sacramento attorney, who spoke with regard to legislation and proposed legislation effecting mining.

The program was made audible to the large audience by the courtesy of Jack Rhodes, who had installed a loud speaker system.

Following the formal program, there were games, races, contests of all sorts and a softball game in which the Placerville Girl Cubs won from the Diamond Springs girls, 19 to 18.

The program of races was arranged under the supervision of County School Superintendent K. W. McCoy.

Robert Bowdish and James Harrison were taken into custody over the weekend to answer petty theft charges in Napa County, and were turned over to Napa County officers.

## WEATHER TRICKS

MARICOPA. (UP) — Disgusted by chasing down one false alarm after another on rainy nights, local firemen are overhauling Maricopa's fire alarm system. It was found that when the wires were dampened by rain, the system short-circuited repeatedly, setting off the alarm in the fire house each time.

## FACTOGRAPHS

For many years during her father's reign Queen Elizabeth was declared illegitimate. It took an act of parliament to declare her eligible to rule England.

In Iceland it is against the law to whistle.

There are too many Irish cows on the roads at night, motorists in Eire claim. They want the bosses to be outlined in lights, so they may readily be seen.

To make operations as pleasant as possible for patients, artificial perfumes are being used in anesthetics.

## Household Hint

If your rugs are more exposed to sunlight at one end than at the other, reverse them from time to time, so that they may fade alike. Rugs wear more evenly if they are so reversed, regardless of fading. Since all rugs fade slightly, it is better to choose a bright color rather than a dull one which will lose much of the brightness it had to start with.

## CHEATS HOSPITAL

ATWATER. (UP) — Attendants at the Bloss Hospital here were preparing busily for the institution's first maternity case when the stork stepped in and cheated them. A girl was born to Mrs. Clyde V. Jones in the family car as her husband drove up to the hospital door.

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